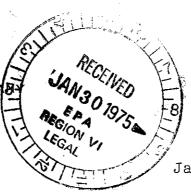


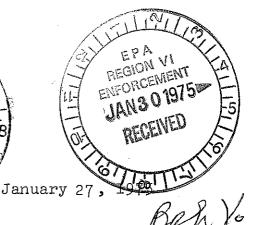
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HOUSTON PLANT

BIOCHEMICALS DEPARTMENT





Mr. Arthur W. Busch, Regional Administrator Environmental Protection Agency, Region VI 1600 Patterson, Suite 1100 Dallas, Texas 75201

BARGING PERMIT EXPIRATION REPORT

Attention: Mark Chandler

Dear Mr. Busch:

Pursuant to General Condition No. 11 in the Dupont Houston Plant's Marine Protection, Research and Sanctuaries Act Permit No. 730D004B, we submit the attached permit expiration report. It is our understanding that this report completes our obligations under the permit. Disposal of wastes in the Gulf from this site was discontinued on December 31, 1974.

Sincerely,

R. L. Stearns

Environmental Coordinator

For E. I. Dupont and Domar Ocean Transportation, Ltd.

CC: Dennis Banta
Domar Ocean Transportation, Ltd.
Morgan City, La.

Dr. Walter A. Quebedeaux, Director Harris County Pollution Control Dept.

Mr. Hugh C. Yantis, Executive Director Texas Water Quality Board, Austin

I. NATURE OF MATERIAL DUMPED

The following tables list the nature, including a complete description of relevant physical characteristics, of material dumped for the period December 1 thru December 31, 1974.

NATURE OF MATERIAL DUMPED

	Load <u>L-45-74</u>	Load <u>L-46-74</u>	Load L-47-74
Date Shipped Tons Sodium Chloride (lbs) Sodium Sulfate (lbs) Sodium Bromide (lbs) Potassium Chloride (lbs) Methanol (lbs) Methylene Chloride (lbs) Formaldehyde (lbs) Other Organics (lbs) Cadmium (lbs) Mercury (lbs) ToC (lbs) Total Residue (lbs)	11/22/74 2,898 108,704 16,808 5,506 3,321 25,502 1,061 ND 1,159 0.002 0.010 37,094 174,460	12/3/74 1,953 100,392 21,874 14,257 2,945 65,722 2,508 ND 12,284 0.010 0.012 54,684 175,770	12/18/74 2,394 114,433 12,449 17,237 2,744 12,947 ND ND 3,352 0.002 0.014 20,550 156,568
BARGE	2502	2-122	2502

ND - None Detected

II. TIMES AND LOCATIONS OF DUMPING

The following table lists the precise times and locations that dumping took place during the December 1 through December 31, 1974, period.

DU PONT HOUSTON PLANT TIMES AND LOCATIONS OF DUMPING

			Start		ŀ	Mid Point	
Load No.	Date 1st Discharge	CD Time	Long.	Latd.	Time CD	Long.	Latd.
·L-45	12/3/74	1930	94°28*W	27°25'N	0300	94°41'W	27°13'N
L-46	12/5/74	0720	94°29*W	27°27'N	1120	94°34'W	27°20'N
L-47	12/22/74	0600	94°32'W	27°26'N	1100	94°32'W	27°26'N

TIMES AND LOCATIONS OF DUMPING

			Finish			
Load No.	Date of Discharge	CD Time	Long.	Latd.		Dump <u>Rate</u>
L-45	12/4/74	1000	94°36'W	27°20'	N	6662
L-46	12/5/74	1520	94°35'W	27°16'	N	5425
L-47	12/22/74	1600	94°35'W	27°20	N	6980

III. Analysis of All Elements Listed in 227.31(b)(1) of the Ocean Dumping Final Regulations and Criteria (40C.F.R. 227.31)

A composite sampling from each barging operation during the period December 1 thru December 31, 1974, showed the following:

Element	Concentration	(ppm)
Element Arsenic Lead Copper Zinc Vanadium Beryllium Chromium Nickel	0.01 <0.01 0.16 0.35 <0.10 0.03 0.04 0.06	(ppm)
Selenium	<0.02	